

# Upcoming Event – all are welcome

Sunday, October 6 9:30am

- **ADULT CLASS ON PROGRESSIVE CHRISTIANITY TOPICS**

We explore significant differences between Evangelical and Progressive Christian perspective on basic beliefs and current issues. September 22: Betty and Mile Doll will explore faith perspective on America's growing INCOME AND WEALTH INEQUALITY.

- **ADULT CLASS: BIBLE STUDY OF FIRST SAMUEL**

We discuss the Celtic morning scripture further and talk about how it connects with our lives and the world. September 22 we will discuss chapter 18 ... more about King Saul's desire to get rid of David once and for all. (This is not your children's Bible story tale.)

- **BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP reading and discussing  
WOMEN ROWING NORTH: Navigating Life's Currents and  
Flourishing as We Age by Mary Pipher.**

<https://www.goodreads.com/en/book/show/38884171>

# Upcoming Event

Friday, October 4 6:30pm

## Joyful Noise Makers Social

You are invited to attend a pizza party and an evening of watching some of the DVDs of our past performances from some of our favorite musicals that we have performed over the years that Brody's Dad was kind enough to record for us! The big event will be on **Friday, October 4 at 6:30 PM here at the church.**

This is the Kick-off for the beginning of the rehearsals for our **Christmas Musical "The Drum"**, which is the story of the Drummer Boy. It will be fully costumed and staged and presented to the congregation on **Sunday, Dec. 22 at the 11 AM Service.**

This is a musical for all ages - young children through grandparents! *Our first rehearsal will be October 13 at 12:30 PM.* We need shepherds and angels. You are welcome to bring a bag lunch to eat as we are rehearsing. The rehearsal schedule will be given out at that time.

Please RSVP with either Debbie Mueller [dmueller14@gmail.com](mailto:dmueller14@gmail.com) or Lynn Izod [lynnwelthy@gmail.com](mailto:lynnwelthy@gmail.com) so we have enough pizza!

Come join the fun!!!!

# Upcoming Event – all are welcome

Saturday, October 5      5pm – 9pm

Multi-generational Event. Fun for All Ages

**The Gayton Kirk's  
Fall Hoe Down with Salsa ...  
*dancing***

**Saturday, Oct 5**

**5PM Scarecrow Building**  
for the young and young at heart

**6:15-7:30 Country Line Dancing**  
(lessons and dancing) with Cathy Griffith aka Dancing Cat

**7:45 til 9 Salsa** (lessons and dancing) with Bubba Ashby  
light snacks and refreshments

**\$15/person** suggested donation



# Upcoming Event – all are welcome

Thursday, October 10 7:30pm

## Festival Choir seeks singers for All Saints Day

(Sunday, Nov 3)

Please join us to sing for our special 11am worship service.

We will be accompanied by string ensemble.

We will be singing the following pieces:

Luboff's "Kyrie" with Drum

Haydn's "Gloria" from Cacilianmesse

Shackley's "Lord I Believe" (Apostle's Creed)

Howard's "Sanctus"

Lightfoot's "Pie Jesu"

Cherubini's "Venj Jesu" (Ensemble)

Stainer's "Sevenfold Amen"

**Rehearsals will be Thursday, October 10, 17, 24, 31 at 7:30 PM.**

The first rehearsal will be 30 minutes, the next two 45 Minutes and the last rehearsal (dress rehearsal with strings) will be 1 1/2 hours.

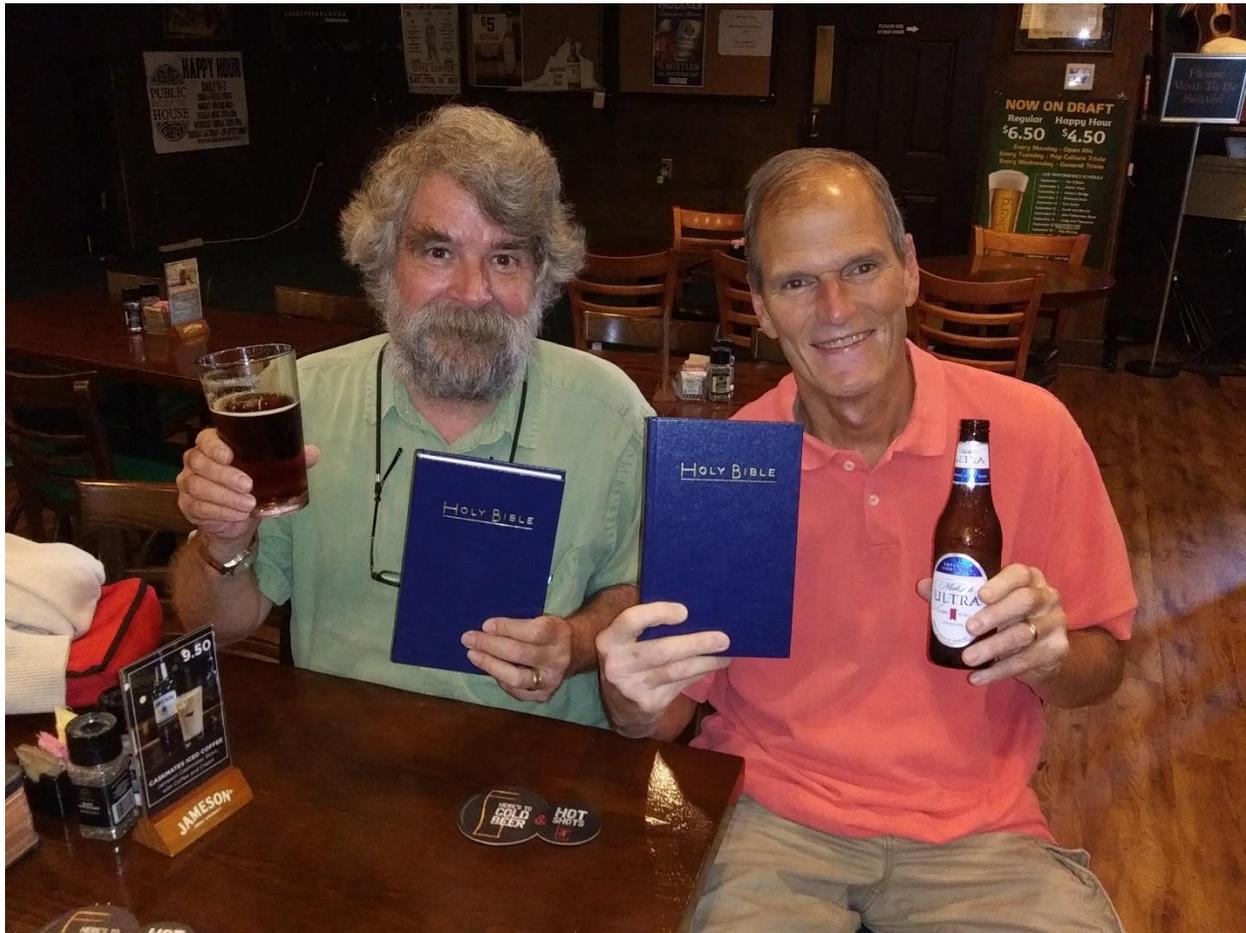
**We will also rehearse Sunday morning, November 3 at 10 AM for the 11 AM service.**

Please let Debbie know ([dmueller14@gmail.com](mailto:dmueller14@gmail.com)) if you will be able to join us so a folder is prepared for you!

# Upcoming Event

Wednesday, October 9, 6pm – 7pm

Theology on Tap at Rare Ol' Times



# Upcoming Event

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Tuesday, October 15, 6pm – 9pm

## Faith & Film

FAITH AND FILM NIGHT TUESDAY OCTOBER 16 AT 6 PM WILL FEATURE

### THE GOSPEL OF MARK (Part 1)

According to reviewer Kevin Ott, this “is the first unabridged, word-for-word reading of the entire Gospel of Mark set to film and adapted with live-action actors and sets. And it executes each scene with surprising production quality and legitimate acting gravitas. There are wonderful visual moments: stunning close-up shots with exquisite detail and beautiful slow-mo cinematography done with great taste. There’s no cheesiness, in other words, and there are scenes that provoked real tears and emotion. This is incredible, considering that it’s not a traditionally scripted film but instead uses an innovative documentary style voice-over approach where a narrator reads the Gospel in its entirety as we watch the actors perform the actions being described in the Gospel. It is incredibly powerful to hear the Gospels as they are written combined with the visual power of live-action portrayals. It’s a wonderful gift that these filmmakers have given.”

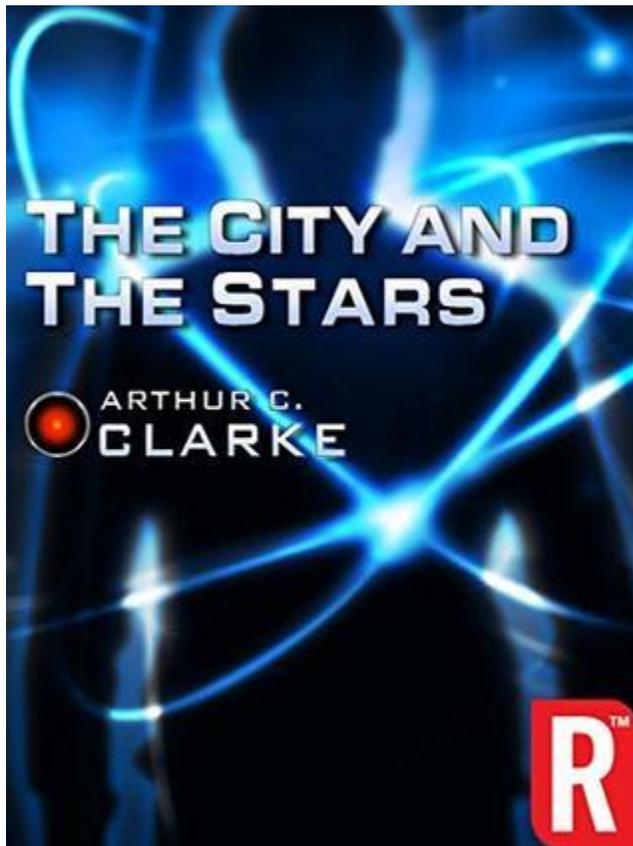
An additional blessing this evening will be the presence of the Rev. Hunter Hill who has made a life-long study of Mark, is writing a book on the Gospel, and has been teaching a course on it over the past year at the Kirk. Hunter will be our expert guide to probe a deeper understanding of what we are hearing and seeing on the screen. We will continue and concluded this exploration of Mark at our November gathering.

Please notify Bob Chesnut at [chesnutra@gmail.com](mailto:chesnutra@gmail.com) if you’re coming so we can order enough pizza. Soft drinks are included and participants are invited to bring other goodies to share.

## Upcoming Event – all are welcome

Tuesday, October 22, 7pm – 9 pm

Book Group Discussion



## Upcoming Event

Saturday, October 26, 6pm - 8pm

A graphic for a 'Trunk or Treat' event. It features a white SUV with its trunk open, filled with Halloween-themed items like candy buckets, balloons, and a gift box. The trunk is decorated with a spiderweb and string lights. A black spider is on the trunk lid. In the foreground, there are two jack-o'-lanterns. The background is a dark, hazy landscape with a sunset sky. The text 'Trunk or Treat' is written in large, orange, serif font at the top. Below it, the event details '6pm - 8pm', 'Saturday', and 'Oct. 26' are listed in the same orange font. At the bottom, 'The Gayton Kirk' is written in a black, serif font.

**Trunk or Treat**  
6pm - 8pm  
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Oct. 26  
The Gayton Kirk